

116TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 2746

AN ACT

To require the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation to provide information on suicide rates in law enforcement, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Law Enforcement Sui-
3 cide Data Collection Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. INFORMATION ON SUICIDE IN LAW ENFORCEMENT.**

5 (a) ESTABLISHMENT.—Not later than 1 year after
6 the date of enactment of this Act, the Attorney General,
7 acting through the Director of the Federal Bureau of In-
8 vestigation, shall establish, for the purpose of preventing
9 future law enforcement suicides and promoting under-
10 standing of suicide in law enforcement, the Law Enforce-
11 ment Officers Suicide Data Collection Program, under
12 which law enforcement agencies may submit to the Direc-
13 tor information on suicides and attempted suicides within
14 such law enforcement agencies, including information
15 on—

16 (1) the circumstances and events that occurred
17 before each suicide or attempted suicide;

18 (2) the general location of each suicide or at-
19 tempted suicide;

20 (3) the demographic information of each law
21 enforcement officer who commits or attempts sui-
22 cide;

23 (4) the occupational category, including crimi-
24 nal investigator, corrections officer, line of duty offi-
25 cer, 911 dispatch operator, of each law enforcement
26 officer who commits or attempts suicide; and

1 (5) the method used in each suicide or at-
2 tempted suicide.

3 (b) POLICIES.—The Federal Bureau of Investigation
4 shall work with the Confidentiality and Data Access Com-
5 mittee of the Federal Committee on Statistical Method-
6 ology to develop publication policies to manage the risk
7 of identity disclosure based upon the best practices identi-
8 fied by other Federal statistical programs.

9 (c) REPORT.—Not later than 2 years after the date
10 of enactment of this Act, and annually thereafter, the At-
11 torney General, acting through the Director of the Federal
12 Bureau of Investigation, shall submit to Congress and
13 publish on the website of the Federal Bureau of Investiga-
14 tion a report containing the information submitted to the
15 Director pursuant to subsection (a).

16 (d) CONFIDENTIALITY.—The report described under
17 subsection (c) may not include any personally identifiable
18 information of a law enforcement officer who commits or
19 attempts suicide.

20 (e) DEFINITIONS.—In this section—

21 (1) the term “law enforcement agency” means
22 a Federal, State, Tribal, or local agency engaged in
23 the prevention, detection, or investigation, prosecu-
24 tion, or adjudication of any violation of the criminal

1 laws of the United States, a State, Tribal, or a polit-
2 ical subdivision of a State;

3 (2) the term “law enforcement officer” means
4 any current or former officer (including a correc-
5 tional officer), agent, or employee of the United
6 States, a State, Indian Tribe, or a political subdivi-
7 sion of a State authorized by law to engage in or su-
8 pervise the prevention, detection, investigation, or
9 prosecution of any violation of the criminal laws of
10 the United States, a State, Indian Tribe, or a polit-
11 ical subdivision of a State; and

12 (3) the term “State” means each of the several
13 States, the District of Columbia, and any common-
14 wealth, territory, or possession of the United States.
Passed the Senate May 14, 2020.

Attest:

Secretary.

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